

National Service in Nevada



MEETING COMMUNITY NEEDS IN NEVADA

More than 2,900 people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Nevada. Serving at more than 360 locations throughout the state, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers.

This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than \$9,830,000 to support Nevada communities through national service and social innovation initiatives. CNCS invests in cost-effective community solutions--working hand in hand with local partners to improve lives, expand economic opportunity, and engage citizens in solving problems in their communities. Serving in many of the state's most impoverished communities, CNCS provides vital support to schools, food banks, homeless shelters, community health clinics, youth centers, veterans service facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations at a time of growing demand for services. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal investment will leverage an additional \$5,760,000 in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars. Nationwide, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$1.25 billion in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in FY 2015.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than 680 individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Nevada. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Nevada Volunteers, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight hunger and illiteracy, improve health services, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 4,900 Nevada residents have served more than 6.5 million hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than \$14,660,000.

Senior Corps: More than 2,200 seniors in Nevada contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than 2,200 young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than 430 homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than 170 groups across Nevada.

Social Innovation Fund: The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives and communities using limited federal investment as a catalyst to grow the impact of nonprofits with evidence of strong results. It harnesses the expertise of grantmaking intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits and engages funding partners to contribute nearly three dollars to every one federal dollar invested. As the Social Innovation Fund network grows programs that work in Nevada, more people are able to overcome their most pressing challenges in the areas of economic opportunity, health, and youth development. The Social Innovation Fund is investing more than \$440,000 in expanding the impact of 5 nonprofits in Nevada.

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS engages millions of Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads volunteer initiatives across the nation. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

Nevada At a Glance



AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants 1	Education Scholarships 2	Program Funding
AmeriCorps National	6	74	306	\$2,962,381	\$335,1703
AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	1	11	-	_ 4
AmeriCorps State Competitive	2	5	197	\$464,938	\$734,575
AmeriCorps State Formula	5	32	124	\$568,424	\$1,510,032
AmeriCorps VISTA	13	28	48	\$278,200	\$740,688
AMERICORPS TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	27	140	686	\$4,273,943	\$3,320,465
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	2	60	251	-	\$850,087
RSVP	3	176	1,779	-	\$344,681
Senior Companion Program	2	12	205	-	\$353,078
SENIOR CORPS TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	7	248	2,235	-	\$1,547,846
Social Innovation Fund	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Nonprofit Subgrantees	5	-	-	-	\$443,619
SOCIAL INNOVATION FUND TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	5	-	-	-	\$443,619
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$250,000
OTHER FUNDING TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	1	-	-	-	\$250,000
PROGRAM TOTALS	40	388 ⁵	2,921	\$4,273,943	\$5,561,930
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING (Including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards) \$9,835,8					
TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					\$5,760,9526
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT					\$15,596,825

Notes: The data shown represents a snapshot in time. CNCS project sites, participants, and funding change throughout the year, so the data may not reflect current conditions.

- This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2016 2017 program year. For AmeriCorps VISTA, this represents the actual number of VISTA members in active service.
- This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Nevada. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total CNCS funding.
- AmeriCorps National figures may include national programs headquartered in the state and/or operating sites of national programs that are headquartered in other states. Funding reflects the estimated proportionate share of the national grant associated with operating sites in this report. Some national organizations do not report operating site data, or it was not available at time of publishing, so figures may not reflect current conditions.
- Nevada is served by the AmeriCorps NCCC campus located in McClellan, California. In the past year, AmeriCorps NCCC teams have served on projects in Reno, Yerington, Las Vegas, Henderson, Wells.
- The service location total may contain multiple counts of unique locations where multiple CNCS programs are operating.
- As part of its public-private partnership approach, CNCS requires grantees to leverage additional resources to strengthen community impact and increase the return on the federal investment. This figure reflects non-CNCS cash and in-kind resources that CNCS grantees and project sponsors have committed to raise or other revenue used to support their programming activities across the state. Last year, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$1.25 billion in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources.

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National Service Impact in Nevada



State Commission

Nevada Volunteers oversees a portfolio of 10 AmeriCorps State grantees which in 2015- 2016 will support 294 AmeriCorps members serving in 10 of Nevada's 16 counties in the areas of education, health, environment, economic opportunity, disaster and capacity building. Nevada's AmeriCorps programs serve a critical role in meeting diverse, locally identified needs for the seventh largest state which has 87 percent of the land publicly owned. In 2014, local partners matched federal funding with 84 cents for every dollar received. AmeriCorps members engaged community volunteers in serving more than 282,333 hours, a value of more than \$5.3 million to Nevada. In 2014-15 AmeriCorps members improved 119,267,280 square feet of public land, supported 50,373 students in education, and provided 18,919 individuals with food assistance. Additional programs led by Nevada Volunteers include the Governor's Points of Light Award, the Governor's Volunteer Recognition Certificate, hosting the statewide volunteer matching web portal, and offering quality volunteer program training including being Nevada's only Service Enterprise Hub which increases the organizational effectiveness of nonprofits across the state.

AmeriCorps State

In 2014-15 program year, AmeriCorps members serving through the Great Basin Institute's Nevada Conservation Corps built and improved more than 100 miles of trails to encourage recreation on public lands for all stakeholders. Additionally, the AmeriCorps members improved more than 2,125 acres of public land. Last summer, Nevada Conservation Corps AmeriCorps members completed the Ash to Kings Trail, a multi-year project that was supported by more than 12,000 hours of member service. This project was the result of a public private partnership that included local nonprofits, private foundations, and state and federal land management agencies.

The Justice AmeriCorps program at University of Nevada Las Vegas Boyd School of Law's Thomas and Mack Legal Clinic engages two full-time AmeriCorps members to serve directly in representing unaccompanied immigrant minors and finding additional resources that can support them. These efforts resulted in 71 minors receiving support and the recruitment of 12 attorneys that provide pro bono services.

AmeriCorps National

The Great Basin Institute's AmeriCorps members remove noxious weeds in Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, Ely, Austin, Carson, and Santa Rosa Ranger Districts. Noxious weeds, which are more aggressive than common or nuisance weeds, are destructive and difficult to control or eradicate and cause habitat loss and degradation. The AmeriCorps members surveyed for noxious weeds, mapped invaded areas, and treating affected areas with herbicide. In the 2016 field season, ten noxious weed technicians treated approximately 5,500 acres of invaded habitat across northern Nevada. This treatment eventually reduces the presence and spread of noxious weed species. The members' service in the Noxious Weed program greatly benefits the state's landscapes, wildlife, and habitat health. Additionally, the AmeriCorps members gain professional development opportunities through Pesticide Applicator Certification training and Wilderness First Aid/CPR training.

AmeriCorps VISTA

Local casinos in Reno continued their generous donations of cards and dice to include in the Washoe County School District's (WCSD) "Math Paths" kits that the WCSD AmeriCorps VISTA project delivers to area schools. The VISTA project has received 66,566 used books (valued at \$166,415) and 10,618 new books (valued at \$53,090) for their Read to Succeed Incentive Book Program from grants and book drives. The program will distribute the books to schools and at educational events during the program year.

Mo Loden, an AmeriCorps VISTA member with the Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation, assisted her site supervisor in writing and securing a \$10,000 grant from the E.L. Cord Foundation to support the development of the Student Stewards Program. During her service term, Mo has been instrumental in securing \$30,500 to support the program, which partners with teachers in Title I schools to help them develop handson, in-park Citizen Science projects that meet the new requirements of the Next Generation Science Standards and engage students directly in their communities. The program opens students' eyes to the value and opportunities that exist in the science field and will help prepare them for success in postsecondary education and careers in science.

National Service Impact in Nevada



AmeriCorps NCCC

The Boys and Girls Clubs of Southern Nevada's mission (BGCSNV) is to enable all youth to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens. Based on the needs and interests of club members, the clubs provide a variety of activities in five areas: character and leadership development, education and career development, the arts, sports fitness and recreation, and health and life skills. AmeriCorps NCCC members joined BGCSNV to serve as education mentors for the Clubs' Kidz Lit program, where they assisted children in developing reading fluency and offered support with other basic homework skills. Because of the mentoring they received from AmeriCorps NCCC members, youth reached their attendance goals and became eligible to help their high-achieving peers create literacy awareness murals at four of the Clubhouses. Members also worked on a number of events and infrastructure improvements for the Clubhouses, including building a playground, coordinating and leading volunteers, setting up and providing customer service at BGCSNV's annual fundraising event and coordinating a food distribution event for families in need.

Senior Corps Foster Grandparent Program

Catholic Charities' 58 Foster Grandparents serve at 15 low-income schools throughout Clark County. Lorraine Watson, Assistant Principal at Rundle Elementary, said the program works and provided records for three students who were tutored by Foster Grandparents. One student was reading at 12 words a minute at the beginning of the year and had improved to 42 words per minute. A second second-grader went from 32 words per minute to 59, and a third went from 15 to 39 words per minute. At Rundle, about 43 percent of the students are English Language Learners and Foster Grandparents make a huge difference. Assistant Principal Watson said. "It's really a joy having these Grandparents here."

Senior Corps RSVP

Nevada Rural Counties RSVP provides farmer's market coupons to residents of Carson City. RSVP field representatives in Dayton, Fernley, Silver Springs, Virginia City, Ely and Caliente distribute coupons throughout the month of June each year. All in all, more than 5,000 seniors in the state of Nevada will benefit from the Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program, which provides low-income seniors with \$30 worth of coupons to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables from local farmers. Not only do seniors derive the benefits from the fresh food, the program also provides elders with exercise and an opportunity for socialization at the farmer's markets. RSVP volunteers provide a large variety of services in the community and make Nevada a great place to live.

Senior Corps Senior Companion Program

Ken N. is Seniors in Service's longest-serving Senior Companion. He has been with the program for 19 years and just advised the coordinator that "he's going to slow down now since he's getting older" (he turns 92 this year). Ken is a reliable, gentle, and unassuming volunteer who is dedicated to visiting his clients. Ken was a paratrooper in World War II and has led an amazing life. He has enjoyed the benefits of volunteering which he attributes to his longevity. Volunteering gives him purpose and meaning as he enjoys helping others. Ken was awarded the first annual Seniors in Service Achievement Award - Senior Companion in 2014 and there is a wall of his artistic creations dedicated to him in the Senior Companion Program office. Ken is an unsung hero and continues to provide valuable service to assist older adults in living independently in their homes.

Social Innovation Fund

The Social Innovation Fund (SIF) transforms lives by using evidence to find what works and make it work for more people. The SIF Classic and SIF Pay for Success programs harness the expertise of grantmaking intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits serving low-income communities across America. In 2015 the SIF Pay for Success program spread to Nevada and programs there are working primarily towards creating strategies to improve social outcomes in early childhood education. The Social Innovation Fund is investing \$147,000 in expanding the impact of four nonprofits in Nevada.

AmeriCorps in Nevada



AMERICORPS TOT	TALS	PARTICIPANTS	PROGRAMS/PROJECTS
CURRENT (as of F	February 10, 2017)	686	27
COMPLETED (with	nin last 12 months)	121	16
Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Carson City	Nevada Governor's Office of Energy (Completed) Nevada Governor's Office of Energy	10	AmeriCorps State Formula
Carson City	Planning GrantNevada Statewide Coalition Partnership (Completed) Nevada Statewide Coalition Partnership	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Carson City	RSVP Veterans VIP Program (Current)	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Henderson	Nevada Rural Counties RSVP Inc. R09-2230-CA-DSA-DSA; R09-2095-NV-PAS-PAS (September 8 - October 10, 2016) FEMA-Region 9	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Henderson	SCA Nevada (Completed) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	11	AmeriCorps National
Henderson	SCA NV (Current) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	6	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	ACC Las Vegas (Completed) Ethiopian Community Development Council Inc.	1	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	City of Las Vegas - Matt Kelly My Brothers Keeper (Current)	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Las Vegas	City of Las Vegas City of Las Vegas (Completed)	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Las Vegas	City of Las Vegas City of Las Vegas Point-in-Time Count and Community Projects (January 11, 2017 - Current) City of Las Vegas	11	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Las Vegas	Clark County District Attorney's Office (Completed) Equal Justice Works	-	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	Clark County Public Defender (Completed) Equal Justice Works	1	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	Las Vegas Point-In-Time Count and Neighborhood Beautification (January 12 - March 15, 2016) City of Las Vegas	11	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Las Vegas	Nevada Legal Services, Inc (Current) Equal Justice Works	2	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	Outside Las Vegas Foundation (Completed) Outside Las Vegas Foundation	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Las Vegas	Project REAL (Current) Project REAL	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Las Vegas	Reinvent Schools Las Vegas (Current) City of Las Vegas	22	AmeriCorps State Formula
Las Vegas	SCA AmeriCorps National Direct Nevada (Completed) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	Teach For America - Las Vegas (Current) Teach For America Teach For America	173	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	United Way of Southern Nevada AmeriCorps Program (Completed) United Way of Southern Nevada	50	AmeriCorps State Formula
Las Vegas	United Way of Southern Nevada VISTA (Current)	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Las Vegas	United Way of Southern Nevada VISTA UNLV (Completed) Poord of Poorette NSUE the University of Nevada Lee Verse	2	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Las Vegas	Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada Las Vegas UNLV Boyd School of Law (Current)	2	AmeriCorps National
Las Vegas	Equal Justice Works YouthBuild Las Vegas (Current) YouthBuild USA, Inc	32	AmeriCorps National

AmeriCorps in Nevada

PARTICIPANTS



PROGRAMS/PROJECTS

CURRENT (as of F	February 10, 2017)	686	27
COMPLETED (with	nin last 12 months)	121	16
Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Mesquite	Mesquite Works (Current) Mesquite Works	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Pahrump	Nye Communities Coalition (Current) Nye Communities Coalition	35	AmeriCorps State Formula
Reno	Community Foundation Initiatives (Current) Community Foundation of Western Nevada	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	Fuels reduction & camp infrastructure improvements (June 2 - June 22, 2016) Girl Scouts of the Sierra Nevada	9	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Reno	Great Basin Institute (Current) Great Basin Institute	175	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Reno	Great Basin Institute (Current) The Corps Network	91	AmeriCorps National
Reno	Greater Impact: Building a Service Enterprise (Current) Nevada Volunteers	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	NCED Statewide VISTA Project (Current) Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	6	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	Neighbor Network of Northern Nevada (Current) Neighbor Network of Northern Nevada	5	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	Nevada Department of Veterans Services (Current) Nevada Department of Veterans Services	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	Nevada Department of Veterans Services II (Current) Nevada Department of Veterans Services	20	AmeriCorps State Formula
Reno	Northern Nevada International Ce (Current) Northern Nevada International Ce	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation (Nevada Volunteers) (Current) Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	13	AmeriCorps State Formula
Reno	Truckee Meadows Student Stewards (Current) Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	11	AmeriCorps VISTA
Reno	Urban Roots FarmCorps (Current) Urban Roots Garden Classrooms	22	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Reno	Washoe County School District, Volunteer Services (Current) Washoe County School District, Volunteer Services	10	AmeriCorps VISTA
Wells	City Infrastructure Improvements (April 27 - May 24, 2016) City of Wells	10	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Winnemucca	Nevada Outdoor Schools AmeriCorps Program (Current) Nevada Outdoor School	34	AmeriCorps State Formula
Yerington	Club programming support (June 2 - July 13, 2016) Boys & Girls Clubs of Mason Valley	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects

AMERICORPS TOTALS

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.

The city column refers to the location of the sponsor organization. AmeriCorps members may be serving in other locations than the city listed.

Senior Corps in Nevada

116 Senior Companion Program



SENIOR CORPS TO	DTALS	PARTICIPANTS	PROGRAMS
CURRENT (as of F	ebruary 10, 2017)	2,235	7
COMPLETED (with	nin last 12 months)	0	0
Primary City	Program Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Carson City	Nevada 15 Rural Counties Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (Current) Nevada Rural Counties RSVP Inc.	940	RSVP
Las Vegas	Foster Grandparent Program (Current) Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada	98	Foster Grandparent Program
Las Vegas	Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (Current) Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada	300	RSVP
Las Vegas	Senior Companion Program (Current) Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada	89	Senior Companion Program
Reno	Washoe County RSVP (Current) Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	539	RSVP
Sparks	Northern Nevada FGP (Current) Seniors in Service	153	Foster Grandparent Program

Note: The city column refers to the location of sponsor organization. Volunteers may be serving in other locations than the city listed.

Senior Companion Program of Northern Nevada (Current)

Seniors in Service

Sparks

Social Innovation Fund in Nevada



Nonprofit Subgrantees in Nevada

Program HQ Location

Nonprofit Subgrantee Name

Intermediary

Las Vegas, NV Clark County, Nevada

Corporation for Supportive Housing (2014)

Carson City, NV

State of Nevada, Clark County, and City of Las Vegas Harvard Kennedy School Government Performance Lab

Description

CSH and its partners will work with Clark County, Nevada to assess the feasibility of a PFS initiative to create supportive housing focused on individuals cycling in and out of high cost systems, including the criminal justice system and/or emergency response teams, who have a history of homelessness. For this initiative, Clark County has identified the goals of: 1. Identifying the frequent user population; 2. Reducing the recidivism rate of the target population by 25 percent; 3. Providing 65 percent of the target population with supportive housing, and; 4. For clients obtaining supportive housing, improve self-sufficiency indicators by 50 percent within the first year of services. Among other technical assistance, CSH anticipates working with Clark County to develop methods that a) build on efforts currently underway to access data and use it to identify the target population and their costs in the status quo b) create a supportive housing model and plan that will meet the needs of the target population. This project will target Clark County, Nevada.

The State of Nevada, Clark County and the City of Las Vegas will receive assistance from both the GPL and Third Sector Capital Partners to explore the use of Pay for Success in creating innovative strategies to improve social outcomes in early childhood education. Specifically, the three jurisdictions will engage in a feasibility study that will explore how an early childhood education PFS project can increase outcomes such as kindergarten readiness and third grade literacy as well as reduce public school special education and remedial education expenditures. The PFS project will target Southern Nevada and will be a part of Nevada's ongoing efforts to improve early childhood education opportunities state-wide. The collaborative feasibility process between the GPL and Third Sector Capital Partners will focus on four main areas: (1) evaluation of whether or not proposed interventions produce the desired outcomes, (2) cost-benefit analysis of proposed interventions, (3) design of potential PFS payment structures and outreach to potential investors, and (4) assessment of the most rigorous evaluation strategies that can be used to measure the initiative's outcomes. The State of Nevada is the only Social Innovation Fund Subgrantee leading an innovative partnership between state, county and city government to address PFS contracting and savings analysis for early childhood education interventions, which has the potential to serve as a model nation-wide. Additionally, the University of Utah Policy Innovation Lab will provide to the City of Las Vegas a PFS Fellow and the related training and technical assistance to develop a PFS program. The Policy Innovation Lab's technical assistance services include: (1) research and data analysis to help the City identify and describe a target population and baseline outcomes for that population; (2) financial modeling and analysis of costs of various interventions versus the benefits to the City from those interventions; (3) budget scan to identify spending priorities and potential areas for cost savings; (4) high-level project support from Lab staff; and (5) connecting the City to other PFS-related resources around the country as needed. Measureable outcomes of this program include a completed feasibility study identifying a target population, baseline outcomes, anticipated programmatic outcomes, and an estimate of cost savings / avoidance.

Social Innovation Fund in Nevada



Nonprofit Subgrantees in Nevada

Program HQ Location	Nonprofit Subgrantee Name				
	Intermediary	Description			
Las Vegas, NV	Three Square Food Bank Share Our Strength	As Southern Nevada's only food bank and hunger relief organization, Three Square Food Bank's mission is to provide wholesome food to hungry people. Operating since 2007, Three Square combines food banking, food rescue, and ready-to-eat meals to be the most complete food solution for Southern Nevada. • Provided the equivalent of more than 106 million meals since 2007 • Works with a service network of approximately 1,300 community partners • Partner with the city of Las Vegas to quadruple Kids Café ® after-school feeding sites • Major milestone in 2013 opening a SNAP Call Center assisting 5,000 individuals Under their NKH SIF grant award, Three Square will focus on Clark County.			
Carson City, NV	Nevada, in partnership with Clark County and City of Las Vegas Third Sector Capital Partners	With assistance from Third Sector and the HKS SIB Lab, the three jurisdictions will engage in a feasibility study that explores how an early childhood education PFS project can increase outcomes such as kindergarten readiness and third grade literacy as well as reduce public school special education and remedial education expenditures in Southern Nevada.			
Las Vegas, NV	City of Las Vegas, NV University of Utah Sorenson Impact Center	The City of Las Vegas is developing a feasibility study exploring the possibility of using Pay for Success to scale its existing Southern Nevada Early Childhood SIB/PFS project. The City of Las Vegas seeks to increase access to high quality early childhood education programs, along with wraparound services for at-risk youth in Southern Nevada.			

Other Programs in Nevada



Program/Project Name

Program Type Sponsor Organization

State Administrative Grant (Current) Nevada Volunteers Reno

Primary City

State Commission Operations Support